

HOUSE RESOLUTION 217  
By Gresham

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Darell Glenn Chambers  
of Middleton.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the untimely passing of Darell Glenn Chambers of Middleton; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Chambers was an exemplary citizen of his community who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for his fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, Darell Chambers was born May 3, 1938, in the Macon community, the son of the late Rufus B. Chambers and Pearl Hampton Chambers; he was educated in the public schools of Fayette County and graduated from Fayette County High School in Somerville; and

WHEREAS, as a young man, Mr. Chambers served in the Tennessee National Guard, and resided for over 30 years in Hardeman County; he was an active and devout member of the Porter's Creek Baptist Church, which he served faithfully for many years; and

WHEREAS, Darell Chambers was a retired employee of the Bolivar Electric Company, having worked for 31 years as a lineman, in which position he earned the respect of his peers and superiors alike for the exemplary quality of his work; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Chambers was an avid sportsman throughout his life, enjoying fishing, participating for many years in the annual Ames Plantation Field Trial activities, and pursuing his love of all animals, particularly horses; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Chambers was also deeply devoted to his family, and he always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; he was the proud parent of Darell G. Kelley; and

WHEREAS, besides his son, Darell Chambers is survived by his sisters, Dorothy Jenkins, Julie McCaskill, and Lynda Crafton; his brother, Carol M. Chambers, several nieces and nephews, and a host of friends; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Chambers leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all his chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor the memory of Darell Glenn Chambers, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character and his stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family and friends of Mr. Chambers.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.